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Description: ff. ii + 64 + ii - 18th-19th centuries. Brown goatskin gold-tooled, silver fastenings. On the spine, flowers and the words "Heur en Latin. MSS. S. Velin en Min." - Purchased from Martin Hago in 1940. - Shailor, B. Catalogue of Medieval and Renaissance Manuscripts in the Beinecke Rare Book and Manuscript Library, MS 108.

Notes:-Manuscript on parchment of a Book of Hours, with Calendar and prayers to the Virgin in French.

Number of Parts: 1 - Number of Images Available: 0
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Language: Latin; French Country: France Century: 16th

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Part 1:

Description: - parchment - 143 x 87 (105 x 59) mm.

Country: France Cardinal point:

Region: France City:

Assigned Date: [between 1500 and 1510] Searchable Date Range: 1500 - 1510

Dated by scribe: NoInscribed Date:Document: NoNumber of Scribes:

Script: Two hands can be distinguished: ff. 1r-6v and 15r-63r are written in a small, even batarde; ff. 7r-14v in a rounded gothic script showing some batarde characteristics. Folios 7-14 may have been added later, judging by the difference in the style and color of the miniatures and their placement on the page. Prayers added on ff. 63v-64v in batarde, early 16th century.

Notes: Sixteen camaieu-gris miniatures by three artists, in tondo format, with gold frames inscribed in white capitals. The miniatures on ff. 15v and 19v are by the leading artist; the remainder are by a competent assistant (with the exception of ff. 7v, 8r, 9r, and 10r, which are of inferior quality). 4-, 3-, 2-, and 1-line initials, grey with gold highlights, on a black ground, some with leaves and dots in gold. On ff. 7r-14v the letters are composed of leaf forms. Ribbon line-fillers, geometric and leaf forms, gold, grey, and white on black. Rubrics in pale red. Calendar has KL monogram as 2-line initials, month and dates in red; feasts in blue, major feasts in red. The black ink of the initials has run on many pages, and has sometimes adhered to the opposite pages. Binding: 18th-19th centuries. Brown goatskin gold-tooled, silver fastenings. On the spine, flowers and the words "Heur en Latin. MSS. S. Velin en Min."

Number of Texts: 1

Text 1:

Title: Hours, use of Rome.

Subjects: Catholic Church--Prayers and devotions.; Books of hours.; Illumination of books and manuscripts,

 ${\it Medieval.}; \ {\it Manuscripts, Medieval--Connecticut--New Haven.};$

Language(s): Latin; French

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